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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : William H. Shepard et al. Art Unit : 1771
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Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated February 3, 2006, be extended for three months to and including August 3, 2006.

Enclosed is a check for \$1020 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing attorney docket no. 05918-133002.

Respectfully submitted,

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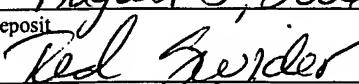
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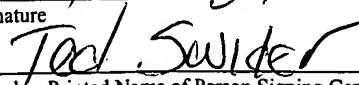
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